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OREGON COUNTY MAN SENTENCED FOR CHILD PORN

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. – Todd P. Graves, United States Attorney for the Western District of Missouri, announced that a Couch, Mo., man was sentenced in federal court today for possessing child pornography.

John Wayne Roy, 49, of Couch, was sentenced by U.S. Chief District Judge Dean Whipple this morning to one year and one day in federal prison without parole. The court also ordered **Roy** to forfeit to the government a Hewlett Packard Pavilion computer processing unit, which was used to commit that offense.

On July 13, 2005, **Roy** pleaded guilty to possessing child pornography. **Roy** admitted that he was in possession of a computer hard drive that contained child pornography on April 17, 2004, in Oregon County, Mo.

This case was prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Rose A. Barber. It was investigated by the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

This news release, as well as additional information about the office of the United States Attorney for the Western District of Missouri, is available on-line at

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